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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND RCE**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed 05 July 2006, Applicants request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks in connection with the above-identified patent application. A request for continued examination (RCE) is being submitted with paper. In addition, the fees required for a two-month extension of time (\$225) and for filing an RCE (\$395) is being electronically submitted with this paper.

**Amendments to and Restatement of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS** begin on page 13 of this paper.